

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

BUZZBALLZ, LLC) Case #2:24-cv-00548-JAD-BNW
Plaintiff(s),)
vs.)
MPL BRANDS NV, INC. d/b/a PATCO)
BRANDS,)
Defendant(s).)

VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL
FILING FEE IS \$250.00

[ECF No. 21]

Daniel T. Shvodian, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of
Perkins Coie LLP

(firm name)

with offices at 3150 Porter Drive,
(street address)

Palo Alto, California, 94304,
(city) (state) (zip code)

(650) 838-4300, DShvodian@perkinscoie.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by
MPL Brands NV, Inc. d/b/a Patco Brands to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

1 3. That since 07/16/1997 (date), Petitioner has been and presently is a
 2 member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of California
 3 (state) where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
 4 from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
 5 possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
 6 the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

7 4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
 8 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
 9 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
 10 standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
USDC Northern District of California	07/16/1997	184576
USDC Central District of California	06/02/1997	
USDC Southern District of California	05/30/1997	
USDC Eastern District of California	05/15/1997	
Court of Appeals Federal Circuit	10/20/2001	
Court of Appeals 9th Circuit	05/29/1997	
USDC Western District of Texas (PHV)	01/05/2015	See attached.

19 5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
 20 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
 21 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
 22 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:
 23 None
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6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

None

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

State Bar of California

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2
(LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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None

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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4 Petitioner's signature

5 STATE OF California)
6 COUNTY OF Santa Clar a)

7 Daniel T. Shvodian, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
8 That the foregoing statements are true.

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10 Petitioner's signature

11 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

12 _____ day of _____, _____.

13 SEE ATTACHED

14 Notary Public or Clerk of Court

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16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

17 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
18 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Eric R. Olsen,
19 (name of local counsel)
20 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
21 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
22 said designated Nevada counsel is:

23 _____ 7251 Amigo Street, Suite 210 _____,
24 (street address)

25 _____ Las Vegas _____, _____ Nevada _____, _____ 89119 _____,
(city) (state) (zip code)

26 _____ (725) 777-3000 _____, _____ eolsen@gtg.legal _____,
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

CALIFORNIA ACKNOWLEDGMENT

CIVIL CODE § 1189

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California

County of SANTA CLARAOn MAY 17th 2024

Date

before me, NICOLE DYFOON

Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer

personally appeared DANIEL T. SHUDDIEN

Name(s) of Signer(s)

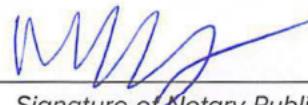
who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.



Place Notary Seal and/or Stamp Above

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature 

Signature of Notary Public

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Signer is Representing: _____

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1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.

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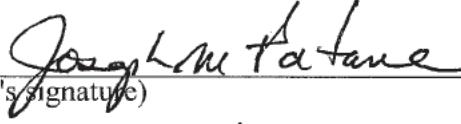
5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Eric E. Olsen as
8 (name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

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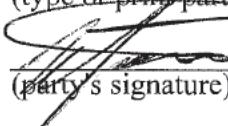
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(party's signature)

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JOSEPH M. PATANE Director
(type or print party name, title)

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(party's signature)

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MICHAEL PATANE CEO
(type or print party name, title)

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CONSENT OF DESIGNEE

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The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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Eric R. Olsen

Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

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eolsen@gtg.legal

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Bar number

Email address

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APPROVED:

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Dated: this 24th day of May, 2024.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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